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Subject: Malibu High School Interim Cleanup Plan

Dear Superintendent Lyon:

Thank you for the opportunity to review the district's interim subject work plan for Malibu High School. The plan, transmitted to EPA this morning titled "Limited PCB Remediation, Verification Sampling Work Plan for Malibu High School/Middle School" is appropriate for this project and is acceptable to **EPA only** with the conditions below...

Please note, EPA's acceptance of the plan is conditioned on the following:

- Verification sampling of the air (post-cleaning) be conducted as described in the plan with the additional requirement that <u>all</u> <u>windows in the rooms tested shall be closed</u>[Emphasis supplied].
- Notification to EPA 72 hours prior to conducting verification air sampling. EPA will send a staff member from the San Francisco Region IX Office to be on-site. Our sampling & analysis expert will collect a limited number of independent samples to ensure quality control, and our staff member will also be on-site to review chain of custody procedures.

It is important to note that this interim plan is separate from the cleanup plan necessary to address PCB impacted caulk at Malibu H.S. The School District will need to submit, for EPA review and approval, a cleanup plan that will address the PCB impacted caulk in and around the buildings at Malibu High School. EPA looks forward to receiving that plan and will work with the Santa Monica-Malibu Unified School District to ensure the cleanup is efficient and effective.

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